

# The Alabaster Box

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## Biblical Thanksgiving

From Genesis to Revelation we have one big picture of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and if this weren't enough, I discovered that God set Jesus at His own right hand in the heavenly places—far above everything else in the natural and in the spirit worlds, and He has lifted me up to sit with Jesus. This means that I never again have to be “under” the circumstances. Just as everything is under His feet, so everything is under my feet because I am seated with Him (Ephesians 1:20-23, 2:6-10).

Knowing this, I close my eyes and see myself before the Throne of God, right there with Jesus. I exalt Him. I give Him thanks for giving me the gift of Life—both present and eternal. Then I minister to Him, that is, I serve Him with my love, my life, and my worship. He is the Prince of Peace, the Mighty God, the Wonderful Counselor, the Alpha and Omega, the Root of David, the Lion of Judah, the Author and Finisher of my faith, my Messiah, the Truth, the Lamb of God, Lord God Almighty, the Bright Morning Star. Soon my words are inadequate to express the feelings my spirit wants to release and I must let the Spirit communicate for me. How true it is that times of refreshing come from the presence of the Lord (Acts 3:19).



When we know who Jesus really is, we begin to live a life of thanks giving.